

ZONING, SITE-PLANNING & DESIGN MODULE 8

Handout 8.2

Activities Allowed or Restricted in the Turtle Islands Heritage Protected Areas

Activities	RZ	HMZ	SPZ
Access			
Paddle boats	Yes	Yes	Yes
Motorized boats	Yes	Yes	No
Cruise boats	Restricted	Restricted	No
Anchoring/mooring buoys	Restricted	Restricted	No
Tourism Activities			
Turtle nesting watching	Yes	No	No
Bird watching	Yes	Yes	No
Nature appreciation	Yes	Yes	No
Volcano exploration	Yes	Yes	N/A
Daytime photography	Yes	Yes	No
Nighttime photography	Restricted	No	No
Picnicking	Yes	Restricted	No
Island hopping	Yes	Restricted	No
SCUBA diving	Yes	Restricted	No
Snorkeling	Yes	Yes	No
Swimming	Yes	Yes	No
Rowing/kayaking	Yes	Yes	No
Wind surfing/hobiecat	Yes	No	No
Infrastructure Development			
Restaurant	Yes	Restricted	No
Single-level cottages	Yes	No	No
Souvenir shops	Yes	Restricted	No
Comfort stations/restrooms	Yes	Restricted	No
Visitor information center	Yes	Yes	No
Improvement of airstrip	Yes	No	No
Solid waste disposal system	Yes	Restricted	No
Sewage treatment facilities	Yes	Yes	No
Jetties	Restricted	Restricted	No
Observation decks	Yes	Restricted	No
Trails	Yes	Restricted	No
Interpretive signs	Yes	Restricted	No

Source:

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RZ - Recreation Zone; HMZ - Habitat Management Zone; SPZ - Strict Management Zone